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For: AUTOFOCUS CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD

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1. Claim to Convention Priority
2. Certified Priority document - Japanese Patent Application  
Serial No. 2003-160986, filed June 5, 2003
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**CLAIM TO CONVENTION PRIORITY**

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application and under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55, applicant(s) claim(s) the benefit of the following prior application(s):

Application(s) filed in: Japan  
In the name of: Canon Kabushiki Kaisha  
Serial No(s): 2003-160986  
Filing Date(s): June 5, 2003

- ☒ Pursuant to the Claim to Priority, applicant(s) submit(s) a duly certified copy of said foreign application.
- ☐ A duly certified copy of said foreign application is in the file of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

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